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Two in custody after traffic stop--4 pounds of meth found in trunk

Mandan, N.D. – On Saturday, February 18, 2017 at approximately 1:30 am, a Morton County Deputy Sheriff stopped a car going eastbound on I-94 for speeding in a 60 mph zone near mile marker 153. The deputy and K9 approached the rental vehicle when his drug dog alerted the deputy to the presence of drugs.

After inspection of the vehicle the deputy found drug paraphernalia in the passenger compartment. After the two occupants were arrested, further investigation in the trunk area found four plastic bags totaling over 4 pounds of methamphetamine worth an estimated street value of $500,000.00.

Both subjects are in custody and are charged with intent to deliver and possession of drug paraphernalia.

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